

# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS KK-K9-F12-K 2000-2006 FORD EXCURSION

# **TOOLS REQUIRED:**

Power Drill Standard & Metric Socket Sets Phillips Screw Driver 7/16" Wrench Wire Cutters / Crimping tool Ratchet Wrench With 6" Extension Torx Bit Set 4 ½" Hole Saw (Exhaust Fan Option) Caulk Gun

**HARDWARE:** Some of this hardware is already attached.

QTY:	<b>DESCRIPTION:</b>	<u>PART #:</u>
28	1/4-20 X 1/2" Stainless carriage bolts	GSM 32022
30	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> -20 X <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " Stainless carriage bolts	GSM 32024
64	1/4-20 Serrated nuts	GSM 30023
6	1/4-20 X 3/4" Hex head Cap Screw Zinc	GSM33001
14	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " X 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> " Hex head lag screw	GSM 33062
36	#12 X 3/4" Stainless sheet metal screws	GSM 34177
24	#10 X 3/4" Stainless sheet metal screws	GSM 34170
22	#10 X ½" Stainless sheet metal screws	GSM 34169
6	#10 X 3/4" Sheet metal screws	GSM 33195
20	#10 X ½" Sheet metal screws	GSM33194
1	Tube Silver Caulk	PRM 97343
1	46" X 45 1/2" Rubber Mat	_KNM01029-S
	11 1/2 feet Adhesive Molding	

### **SUB ASSEMBLY:**

- Dome light with wire
- Tunnel edge molding
- Install exhaust fans (Optional). If locating in custom location drill 4 ½" hole into desired location of K-9 housing. Mark and drill 3/16" mounting holes to attach fan using (4) 10/32" X ½" machine screws and 10/32" keps nuts. Then mark and drill 3/16" holes to mount fan guard using 10/32" X ½" machine screws and 10/32" keps nuts.

# **INSTALLATION:**

#### 1. Remove interior:

- Remove rear seats
- Remove rear seat belt assembly
- Remove top, and bottom plastic rear trim caps





### 2. Remove rear OEM door panels:

- Remove speaker, door handle, and lock
- Remove switch assembly from plastic housing (leave plug on switch)

Note: if doors have electric door switches, they must be reattached to original plug assembly. Switch assembly must then be wired-tied down so it does not interfere with window or door latch operations

# 3. Install mounting legs:

• Using  $\frac{1}{4}$ -20 x  $\frac{3}{4}$ " carriage bolts attach mounting legs to floor of vehicle using  $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 1  $\frac{1}{2}$ " hex head lag screws.

Note: keep nuts loose at this time. And set legs at 6 1/2" high.

# 4. Slide in K-9 main housing:

- Slide in main housing.
- Housing should be 48 ½" from rear plastic sill to rear mounting flange.
- Mount legs to housing loosely, using ½-20 x ¾" carriage bolts.
- Mount rear support to bottom of rear housing using
  (6) ½-20 x ¾" hex head cap screw.

### 5. Install tunnels and fillers:

- Loosely attach side tunnels to main housing using <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20 x <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" carriage bolts and <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-20 x <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" carriage bolts.
- Place sill plate and cover step in tunnels and mount with #12 x <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>" stainless sheet metal screws.

### 6. Housing final step:

- Center housing so cover steps are even on both sides.
- Mount rear housing to vehicle with ½" x 1½" hex head lag screw.
- Tighten all loose bolts on tunnels and legs.

Note: If 32" inch long K-9 kit is being installed, a 10" rear floor extension must be used. (provided with 32" kits)









### 7. Door panels and window guards:

- Center door panels so edges do not hang over.
- Attach to door with #10 x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " stainless sheet metal screws.

Note: window guards have holes around perimeter for permanent mounting. <u>These holes are not used</u> with hinge kit! They also come flat in shipping. The guard must be pre-bent so it fits tight against the door window frame.

- Hold window guard with pre-assembled hinge and upper bracket onto window frame.
- Make sure guard is centered on window.
- Attach hinge to lower door panel with #10 x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " sheet metal screws.
- Mark upper aluminum bracket location on window frame and remove from window guard.
- Attach aluminum bracket onto window frame with #10 x ½" sheet metal screws.
- Apply adhesive molding to inner side of window guard.
- Hinge up window guard and reattach to bracket with #10 x ½" stainless machine screws and #10 stainless flat washers.

Upper Window Bracket

Note: this is for easy window cleaning.

### 8. Final steps:

- Mount dome light (fan if necessary) switch box as desired. A switch box is provided so switch can be mounted to K-9 housing in various locations. (Topside of tunnel housing works very well). Wire to 12-volt power source.
- Sheet metal seams and gaps need to be carefully silicone at floor area. Proper sealing of compartment will eliminate water from getting under the K-9 unit.
- Allow silicone to dry overnight before placing in rubber floor mat.

